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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7.

CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

Aug 1...	3,688	Aug 16...	3,698
Aug 2...	3,674	Aug 17...	3,702
Aug 3...	3,671	Aug 18...	3,706
Aug 4...	3,707	Aug 19...	3,707
Aug 5...	3,687	Aug 21...	3,716
Aug 7...	3,729	Aug 22...	3,705
Aug 8...	3,757	Aug 23...	3,718
Aug 9...	3,728	Aug 24...	3,712
Aug 10...	3,714	Aug 25...	3,699
Aug 11...	3,720	Aug 26...	3,699
Aug 12...	3,706	Aug 28...	3,694
Aug 13...	3,703	Aug 29...	3,697
Aug 14...	3,698	Aug 30...	3,702
Aug 15...	3,701	Aug 31...	3,701
Total,	10,003		
Average for August,	3,705		
Average for August, 1904,	2,864		
Increase,	841		

Personally appeared before me, this day E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of August, 1905, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public.

My commission expires January 22, 1908.

Daily Thought.

Whosoever believes he can do without the world is much deceived; but he who thinks the world cannot do without him is much more so.—Rochefouraud.

A WORD TO REPUBLICANS.

Republicans are everywhere, of course, concerned in civic betterment, says the Louisville Herald. In some places the party, or prominent members of it, identify themselves with propositions looking to municipal ownership. There is something fascinating in the idea of municipal ownership; something in it that, under ideal conditions, social, economical and political appeals to common sense. But in the absence of such conditions, municipal ownership must be handled gingerly. The first logical step, in fact, toward that end would be the creation of the conditions necessary to make it a success. It is, to some extent, a success in Glasgow and other European towns because of the partial presence there of the required conditions. It is a success in America in the matter of all services which the people insist on having administered strictly on business principles. It is not and cannot be a success where necessary conditions are lacking. Mr. W. T. Sowdon, editor and proprietor of the Adelaide, South Australia, Register Journal and Observer, speaks from close acquaintance with public ownership.

To republicans inclined to that view we present Mr. Sowdon's opinion:

"We have had a sad experience with government ownership. Nearly all of our public utilities are administered by government, with the result that politics dominate them and the public service is woefully misadministered. Not all of the transways are in the hands of the government, but with the slovenly example of the government railroads and government trams to copy, we find ourselves in a sad way."

"To begin with the service is controlled by the premiers of the various provinces, who represent the dominant political parties and run the railroads largely as personal political properties. The roads do not pay properly, the traffic on passengers and goods are high compared with yours, and the employees, having life posts, are not amenable to discipline or to public sentiment."

Mr. C. E. Z. Carastisi, an eminent civil engineer, writing to the Manufacturers' Record writes that, theoretically, public ownership of all works of public utility is unquestionably correct. But there are, he adds

many steps between practice and theory on which the government must stumble." For the perpetuation of one political party in power and the promotion of revolution and anarchy, public ownership is, in truth, the correct system. But if we look to Europe or South America for precedents the plan is faulty. "This is particularly so in a country that is," says Mr. Carastisi, "supposed to be governed by the people, where every act of a public official is weighed not by its real merits, but by the effect that such an act will have on the individual official and the party to which he belongs. Should this not be a fact there would not exist reason for the internecine wars that we mercifully call strikes, but in other countries are called revolutions."

Would not, in fact, political parties in charge of the enormous patronage of public utilities use it to perpetuate themselves in power, and thus establish dictatorships and absolutism?

TELEPHONE COMPETITION.

The question of competing telephones is one which has attracted the attention of many cities beside Paducah with results on lines indicating that a dual telephone service is not helpful, and in many cases quite unprofitable to those who invested in the securities of competing lines. The following from the Detroit Free Press, one of the leading and most reliable newspapers in the West, indicates the situation in the city of Detroit and other points throughout the state of Michigan:

"The telephone occupies a unique position on the field of public utilities. Unlike other commercial necessities, competition does not guarantee cheapness. On the contrary, it is the advent of a new company may force from the one already in the field a reduction in rates, if the former succeeds in acquiring any considerable amount of business the merchant is compelled to install both instruments. This brings the aggregate amount expended for rental up to a higher point than that required before competition appeared, and serves only to complicate matters.

"The value of telephone service depends upon the territory with which it places the subscriber in communication. If the company which has for so many years controlled the field in Michigan provides adequate service there is little possibility of a new comer capturing a sufficient amount of trade to make it profitable. The man who already possesses direct connection with the entire state is not going to assume the expense of adding another service. It is this fact that has kept the Co-operative Telephone Co. in the background. That the efforts of the promoters have not met with the anticipated degree of success is not to the discredit of the men instrumental in bringing the concern into existence. They have merely been victims of circumstances, and have learned a lesson which other venturesome spirits in the same field became familiar with long ago."

The Spanish war veterans of Louisville have put on foot a movement to secure the farm on which Abraham Lincoln was born in Larue county, as a national park. The recent purchaser, R. J. Collier, of New York, is willing to turn the historic spot over to some organization for the purpose, and it is likely the project will be a success, and Lincoln's birthplace in Kentucky become a spot of many attractions.

Judging from the leisurely manner in which street improvements have been made in Paducah in the past, it is now time to begin to prepare to get ready to start next year's work. It will soon be two years since the street improvement bonds were voted and still only a few blocks of the reconstruction have been completed.

A long delay confronts the state in

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building the new capitol at Frankfort unless the kind of granite specified in the contract is changed. Good granite comes from many places, and it is to be hoped the capitol commission will make the necessary provision to proceed with the work.

Some of the Japs judging from their boisterous conduct, are not as fully convinced of the liberality and magnanimity of Japan as we are over here. The world has kindly called it generosity, but it seems to look to many of the Japanese like a back-draw.

Forty arrests were made in Louisville during the past year for murder, and 279 for malicious cutting. The papers modestly refrain from stating the number of convictions.

If President Roosevelt keeps a scrap book of all the good things said about him, the white house may soon have to be enlarged to take care of the rapidly increasing volumes.

CHURCHMEN GATHER.

For the Kentucky Conference of the M. E. Church, South.

Covington, Ky., Sept. 7.—The Kentucky conference of the M. E. Church, South, opened at Scott-street M. E. church in Covington. Bishop Candler presided, instead of Bishop Smith, who is ill. The opening sermon was of uncommon fervor and eloquence. Today's work will be mainly the appointment of committees and work of organization.

Among the prominent divines here are Rev. Dr. P. H. Whisner, corresponding secretary of church extension, of Louisville; Rev. Dr. Seth Ward, missionary secretary, Nashville, Tenn.; Rev. Dr. John J. Tigert, book editor, Nashville, Tenn.; Rev. Dr. H. William Dubose, editor and secretary Epworth League, Covington; Rev. H. C. Morrison, editor of Pentecostal Herald, Louisville; Rev. B. F. Haynes, president Asbury College, Middletown; Dr. J. L. Weber, president Kentucky Wesleyan College, Winchester; Prof. D. W. Batson, editor Central Methodist, Louisville; Rev. Dr. W. F. Tillett, dean of Theological Faculty of Vanderbilt University, Nashville.

Among the prominent laymen present is Appellate Court Judge F. C. O'Rear, Frankfort.

BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE.

Will Hereafter Hold Its Annual Meetings at Owensboro.

Owensboro, Ky., Sept. 7.—A contract has been signed between the executive officers of the Baptist Young People's Union of Kentucky and President James H. Parrish and Superintendent W. G. Archer, of the Seven Hills Chautauqua company, by which the annual meetings of the former organizations are to be held in connection with the chautauqua assemblies of the latter. The agreement was entered into during the recent chautauqua assembly, but the contract was not formally signed until Monday, when Messrs. Archer and Parrish went to Louisville to meet the officers of the Baptist Young People's Union.

The holdings of the annual meetings here will necessitate a longer chautauqua term. The B. Y. P. U. conventions usually cover nearly a week when held separately. The chautauqua term will likely be lengthened to three weeks. The morning sessions of the first week will likely be devoted exclusively to the work of the B. Y. P. U.

SPLIT IN CHURCH.

Likely to Result From Request of Pastor to Resign.

Noblesville, Ind., Sept. 7.—Rev. E. B. Barnes, of the First Christian church announced at a special meeting that the official board of the church had asked him to resign. No reason was given except "the good of the church."

He refused to resign, and charged C. W. Granger and Edward Forsythe, of the board, with conspiring to remove him. He insisted on these men being removed, and announced that he would file a charge against Mr. Granger. He called a special meeting of the board and congregation, but the board refused to meet. Fifty members condemned the action of the board because it did not consult the congregation. The trouble is likely to result in a split in the church membership.

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MAY NOT BE READY

It is Likely Pressure on President Will be Great.

He Is the Great Hero of the People at Present and His Popularity Will Last.

MAYBE HE CANNOT REFUSE

Washington, Sept. 7.—Those politicians who have watched the trend of political events during the past few weeks, and especially during the days since the president brought about the peace compact between Russia and Japan, are somewhat inclined to believe that the outcome of the discussion surrounding the selection of a nominee at the next Republican national convention will be the renomination of President Roosevelt.

While it is admitted that much of the enthusiasm now surrounding the action of President Roosevelt is ephemeral and comes as a part of the natural enthusiasm of the American people, it is likewise admitted that the trend of events is toward his selection, and that the only obstacle which probably stands in the way is a refusal upon his part to accept. It is said that Mr. Roosevelt can hardly get away from the statement which he made on the night of his election last November, in which he used these words:

"On the 4th of March next I shall have served three and one-half years, and this three and one-half years constitutes my first term. The wise custom which limits the president to two terms regards the substance and not the form. Under no circumstances will I be a candidate for or accept another nomination."

The statement was accepted as definite and final, but at that time there was no anticipation of those events which have come since, and which now bid fair to place the president in a position where a refusal of renomination will be difficult if not almost impossible. The question now is, whether out of the great enthusiasm throughout the country and a demand which may become almost unanimous, he can refuse to accept a nomination which the people so strongly demand. Close friends of the president say that when the time arrives for an expression of opinion from him, he will be quick to state his position clearly, and while admitting the high compliment which has been paid, will refuse to do else than abide by the statement which he made following his last election.

TO BE NUMBERED.

Rural Delivery Boxes Must Be Numbered, as Houses.

The postoffice department has decided that boxes of patrons of the rural free delivery routes shall hereafter be numbered. The rural carriers have been instructed to prepare accurate lists of all the letter boxes on their routes, and beginning with the one nearest the starting point of his route, which shall be numbered "1," the other boxes shall be numbered serially. As soon as possible, after the numbers have been assigned to all the boxes, the owners of the boxes are to be notified and they will be requested to inscribe the number on some conspicuous place on the box.

AFTER TEN YEARS.

An Indiana Man Finds Happiness and a Bride.

Chicago, Sept. 7.—Ely Cunningham, of Marion, Ind., had a story of disappointment which culminated in success today.

Ten years ago Cunningham and Leona Greenbaum were courting a young woman of Marion. Greenbaum won, and brought his bride to Chicago. He died three years ago and then Cunningham urged the widow to marry him. She told him to wait two years, and if he loved her at the end of that time she would wed him.

The two years were up today, according to Cunningham, and he came to Chicago to claim a bride. Clerk Salmonson gave Cunningham a license to marry Mrs. Augusta Greenbaum, and within three minutes Justice Arn with offices in the County Clerk's office, performed the ceremony.

Knocks Out Indiana Marriage Law.

Terre Haute, Ind., Sept. 7.—Judge Milford, of the Fountain circuit court, has ruled that if the bride-elect is of legal age a marriage license must be issued, though she has not been a resident of the county thirty days, as provided in the old law, not repealed by the new one, and which was intended to prevent elopements. The clerk refused a license for Charles Tanney, of Evansville, aged 37, and Martha Price, of Brazil, aged 24, but after the court overruled the clerk, they were married.

Parish House Almost Complete.

Grace church parish house is nearly complete and will be ready for occupancy about October 1. It is expected that Bishop Woodcock will come to Paducah for the formal opening of the building.

Anybody who tries to kill time is sure to be killed by it sooner or later.

For the Opening in Paducah Next

Monday.

The Preliminary Examinations of Pupils and Teachers Will End This Afternoon.

PROSPEROUS YEAR EXPECTED

Today winds up the preliminaries to the opening of the city public schools Monday.

Today the last special examinations, those for teachers and principals, are being held and the following teachers are being examined:

Prof. W. P. Johnson, Misses Minnie Barksdale, Nannie Culion, Edna Barnett and Prof. Ernest E. Alms.

Yesterday examinations for pupils who were ill at the close of the past term and for those who failed to pass the examinations at the close of school, closed. There was a total of 21 pupils examined and full that many applied after the examinations had started. The teachers advertised the examinations for Tuesday and Wednesday and all coming in later than the first morning could not get the benefits because of the fact that the examiners would not go back and virtually begin the examinations over.

Mr. Fred Hoyer, superintendent of buildings, stated this morning that he did not believe the McKinley school in Mechanicsburg would be completed by Monday although he had the assurance of the contractors that it would. There is a great deal of painting and finishing touches to be put but whether or not this will interfere with the school work, in event the building is not turned over to the board by Monday, remains to be seen.

LOCAL LINES.

JURY TOOK NEECE
CASE AT NOON TODAYHe is Charged With Shooting
and Killing a Neighbor.Case Was Began Yesterday and Fin-
ished and Argued by Noon
Today.

THE NEWS IN OTHER COURTS

The case against Rufe Neece, colored, charged with the murder of Jesse Ingram, colored, near Oaks Station on the N. C. and St. L. road last December, went to the jury today at noon, after having been on trial since yesterday morning.

This was the first regular criminal jury case to be tried this term and there were about twenty witnesses in the case which made it long and drawn out. Neece alleges that Ingram advanced on him with a rock making repeated threats on his life, and that he, while running, shot at Ingram and killed him in self-defense. The first speech was made by Attorney J. Wheeler Campbell for the defense and the closing speech made by Commonwealth Attorney John Lovett.

Everybody should read the "House" advertisement in today's Sun.

—Mayor D. A. Yeiser expects to move back to the city for the winter in about two weeks. Most of the other residents of the suburbs are also preparing to leave their summer homes.

—Messrs. Louis Kolb and Ernest Lackey have ordered from the Paducah Furniture company the furniture for the T. P. A. ward in Riverside hospital, and it will be delivered as soon as possible. The cost of the furnishings will be about \$200.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Leek, of 417 North Fourth street, left yesterday with the remains of their infant child for interment at Nashville, Tenn. The child died August 27. It was one of twins, and the other was so ill that the parents could not take the remains away at that time, and they were buried here temporarily until they could be taken away yesterday.

—I have a choice stock of new pianos of Baldwin, and other makes direct from factory, to sell, rent or exchange. I will take most any commodity that has commercial value, in part payment. Call and see them and get my prices and terms or phone me No. 1041-A. W. T. Miller.

—Yesterday morning engine No. 182 while switching in the Langstaff Orme Lumber Co.'s yards was thrown off the track by the spreading of the rails. Another engine was sent and No. 182 was pulled back on the track this morning.

—Geo. Rock & Co., are having the old front torn away from their store on Broadway and will have a handsome new, modern front erected.

—This morning the father of Lula Crawford, colored, who has been in a West Kentucky avenue resort of ill fame, wired a ticket from Paducah to Murphysboro, Ill. instructing that the girl be returned. She stated she would go, and the ticket will be given her today and the girl will be escorted to the train in the patrol wagon.

—All bids on the I. C. hospital improvements are expected to be in today, but owing to other matters it may be several days before the contracts will be let.

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County Court.

Mrs. Ella Harwick and others deed to Jennie Garrison, for \$1,500, prop-

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Mary Noble Sanders deeds to the city of Paducah for \$517.50, property on West Broadway.

M. J. Wood deeds to F. E. Wood for \$1 and other consideration property in the county.

Charles Trueheart deeds to W. A. Gardner for \$250, property near Seventh and Campbell streets.

Ira Peebles deeds to E. S. Yarbrough, for \$125, property in the county.

MOTION MADE

To Dissolve the Evitts Injunction
Against Aldermen.

This morning attorneys for the city in the case of City Jailer Tom Evitts against D. A. Yeiser, mayor of the city of Paducah, and members of the board of aldermen, filed a motion for the court to set aside and dissolve the temporary writ of prohibition because of the fact that the plaintiff did not on the second day of the present term make a motion for a permanent writ, this being one agreement made by the plaintiff in securing the temporary writ.

This is the case where the circuit judge issued a temporary writ of prohibition against the mayor and board of aldermen to keep them from trying charges brought against the city jailer for conduct unbecoming a city official.

Judge Reed stated this afternoon that he had nothing more to do with the case of Evitts against Yeiser where he granted a temporary writ of prohibition to keep the board of aldermen from trying City Jailer Evitts for conduct unbecoming an officer. He stated that it was "up to the parties in the suit."

RURAL ROUTES IN KENTUCKY.

State Has 580 in Operation With Pe-
titions for 193 Pending.

Washington, Sept. 7.—A bulletin issued today by the postoffice department shows that on September 1, there were 580 rural routes in operation in Kentucky, and 193 petitions for additional routes were pending. The Eleventh is the only district in Kentucky that has no rural routes, and twenty petitions from that district are pending seven having been rejected. In the country at large 32,927 rural routes were in operation September 1, with 4,780 petitions pending. Kentucky ranks seventeenth in the Union in the number of its rural routes. Illinois leading with Indiana, Iowa and Ohio each having over 2,000 routes.

Two Are Ill.

Deputy Marshal G. W. Saunders has returned from Livingston and Crittenden counties, where he went to serve papers on W. H. Mann, C. S. Knight and W. L. Kennedy, summoning them to appear before Judge Walter Evans, of the federal court at Louisville tomorrow and show cause why they should not be punished for contempt of court by working a mine that they were ordered not to work pending the settlement of a case. Mann and Kennedy live at Lola, and are both sick in bed and will probably be unable to attend court.

New Orleans Detectives Grateful.

Chief of Police James Collins has received from New Orleans a letter from Inspector of Police E. S. Whittaker, thanking the entire Paducah police and detective force for the courtesies shown the two New Orleans detectives here recently after Walter Coleman. Thanks are also extended Acting Judge D. A. Cross, Prosecuting Attorney Thomas Harrison and County Attorney Eugene Graves, and the New Orleans man declares that his detectives, Messrs. Kenner and Stubbs, say they never visited a more hospitable place than Paducah.

Was Released at Ripley.

Walter Williams, colored, arrested here several months ago for carrying concealed weapons at Ripley, Tenn., and given a heavy sentence, has been pleased and returned to Paducah. He was given his freedom in compliance with a petition to Gov. Cox, of Tennessee, from Paducah officers who did not think Williams deserved such heavy sentence.

Police Court.

Police Judge D. L. Sanders, who yesterday resumed his bench after a few weeks' absence on account of illness, had a short docket today.

Wesley Davis, colored, who is alleged to have stolen brass from the I. C., was held over for petty larceny.

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Cousins Marry Here.

Yesterday morning Rev. W. H. Pinkerton married Mr. Joseph Montgomery and Miss Sylvina DeRoine, both of St. Louis, in his study at the First Christian church. It is the first marriage of both and they were cousins.

Married by Rector Wright.

Mr. Jesse Sanderson and Miss Mary Morgan were united in marriage last night by the Rev. David C. Wright, at Grace church rectory. They will go to housekeeping at once at 521 South Fifth street.

Miss Emma Lloyd Fenwick returned from a visit to friends at Paducah yesterday.—Henderson Gleaner.

President E. W. Bagby, of the library board is expected the latter part of the week from a visit to Rushville, Ill.

Miss Ruby Corbett, assistant librarian, has returned from a week's visit to Dawson Springs.

Contractor F. W. Katterjohn and family today returned from Minnesota and Dakota after a several weeks' stay in the north this morning.

Mr. E. P. Toof and daughter, Miss Catherine, went to Nashville this morning over the N. C. and St. L. road.

Miss Marie Roth, stenographer at The Sun office, is quite ill at her home on Trimble street, threatened with typhoid fever.

Major M. Bloom and wife and Mrs. Schwartzberger returned this morning from the northern watering places.

Mr. John Huntsberry left for Elizabethtown today to attend the fair.

Miss Maude Lowry has returned to Metropolis after a visit to Miss Daisy Dale.

Miss Catherine Toof will leave today for Maryville, Tenn., to re-enter college.

Miss Mayone Scott has gone to Louisville to visit Miss Elizabeth Gregory.

Miss Daisy Dale and Mrs. J. A. Pearson leave today for a visit to Metropolis.

Miss Gwin Perkins has returned from a two months' visit to Clarksdale and Nashville.

Miss Carol Warren, of Calvert City, has returned home after a visit to the family of W. L. Wilkerson.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Dallam, who has been quite ill for several days, is better.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Worten, who has been quite ill for several days, at Hampton, Livingston county, is slightly better.

Mr. Charles Thompson, of the Racquet store, has returned from New York and other eastern points, where he has been buying goods.

Mr. James Ripley and Mr. Will Clark have returned to their homes in Memphis, Tenn. Mrs. Ripley remains here for a visit to Mrs. Dick Davis, of North Fifth. They accompanied here the remains of the former's son, who died in Denver and was buried at Oak Grove.

Mr. Frank Peyton, of Oscar, Ky., was in the city today on business.

Mr. Rudolph Hagan, of New York was in the city today.

Mr. Robert N. Phipps, the prominent jeweler, of Fulton, Ky., was in the city today on business.

Mr. Frank Eagan of Dyersburg, Tenn., was in the city today on business.

Mr. Mike Griffin, the tobacco man went to Murray, Ky., this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Jennings, of 1228 Jackson street, have returned from a visit to Chicago, St. Louis and other places.

Mrs. Helen Dunn has returned from visiting in Livingston and Crittenden counties.

Mrs. A. Herman and children have returned from visiting in St. Louis.

Route Agent C. M. Fisher, of the Southern Express office, was in the city today.

Miss Carrie Ham went to Hopkinsville last night for a several days visit to friends there.

Mr. C. H. Chamblin is in St. Louis on business today and will return tomorrow.

Mr. John Baker and Miss Willie Harkless, of Paducah, Ky., were married on August 31, at the home

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Nice home on Fountain park, 5 rooms, front hall and back porch shade and 49-foot lot, full depth to alley, at only \$1,550. Bargain.

431 North Fifth street, 7-room, 2-story house, in good fix, at \$3,000.

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Have just platted out for sale 100 acres of the Thos. E. Boswell farm into pieces of from 1 1/2 to 5 acres with wide streets and ready to sell on long, easy payments. Ask at once for plat and get choice selection for country home in very best location to be found. Different prices, according to size and location of piece taken. High, healthy land, convenient to electric cars.

No. 226 North Eighth street, 9-room, 2-story house in best residence part of city at \$3,500 on easy payments.

Three houses which bring \$33.00 per month rent at N. E. corner Sixth and Ohio streets, for \$2,500; half cash and balance on easy payments.

New, nice, 4-room house on 50 ft. lot with shade trees, on south side of Harrison St., between 16th and Fountain avenue, in Fountain Park. Low price and monthly payments. See me to get home easy.

No. 1141 Clay St., new, 5-room brick cottage, water inside, one nicest cottages to be found. Price \$1,800, only \$500 cash balance payments 1, 2 and 3 years.

Joining 1141 have 6' ft. vacant which will sell alone or with the brick cottage. Easy terms.

1032 North 12th St., 5-room frame cottage with stable, water inside house. Price \$1,200 on easy payments.

N. E. corner 3rd & Tennessee Sts., 88 ft. front on 3rd and full depth lot to ally, storehouse brick, frame 5-room house and vacant space for two more houses, all for \$3,000.

Fountain Park 7-room, new residence, bath and water with sink in kitchen, 50 ft. lot, plenty shade trees, choice home place. Price \$1,650 only \$950 cash and all time wanted on balance. Bargain.

Have for sale, cash, or on very easy payments new, nice 5 room house, never been occupied, painting just finished. Roomy and well arranged. See me at once for particulars if want such house.

Three Fountain park cottages for sale on small cash payment, balance monthly, about equal to rents.

Two houses on one lot, northwest corner Ninth and Ohio streets. Good offer at \$2,100 on very easy payments.

1022 Clay street, nice 4-room residence, with large stable on 54-foot lot. Price \$1,550.

Good four-room residence in Mechanicsburg, joining the Biederman grocery store, price \$850, half cash and as much time as wanted on balance.

Nice 4-room residence, good house and large lot, on South Eighth street, excellent home for colored man, at \$900 on easy payments.

235 South Sixth St. very desirable 10 room house on corner lot fronting Yeiser park. Excellent residence, or well suited for first class boarding house. See me for price and terms as am anxious to sell.

Don't forget that I have at all times plenty money to loan on farm mortgages at 6 per cent interest, ten years' time.

New plat of Madison St. lots just west of and adjoining Fountain park, all level and high, and street graded and graveled. Survey just made and plat turned over to me. Come when you can get first choice. Prices \$2500 of which \$25 cash and balance on \$5 monthly payments. Location, price and terms considered, these are most desirable lots in Paducah.

First class business property on both Second and Third streets near Broadway. Best chance to be had in this line of investment. Ask for details.

Four excellent houses on Tennessee street between 11th and 12th streets, no better of size and class in city. Corner one at \$2600 and three inside ones at \$1600 each.

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ROOM 5
Old Phone, 997-red.
TRUEHEART BUILDING
PADUCAH, KY.Bowser Has
A SurpriseHis Mother-in-law Appears Just
as He Takes the Bit In
His Teeth.

RAILING AT HIS WIFE.

Things Are All Going His Way
When He Receives a
Severe Check.

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SEVERAL things had happened during the day to upset Mr. Bowser, and on the car going home at night a man had not only stepped on his toes, but advised him to sandpaper his bald head. There was no one to take it out on except Mrs. Bowser, and she saw at once as he entered the house that he meant to do it.

"Is that infernal dinner ready?" he demanded as he took off his overcoat.

"Our usual 6 o'clock dinner is ready," she quietly replied.

"Well, it's a good thing it is or that girl would get the bounce. From now

"ARE YOU THROUGH, LEMUEL BOWSER?"
SHE DEMANDED.

on this house will be run as a house instead of a sawmill or I'll know the reason why."

"What is wrong with my way of running the house?"

"What is wrong? A thousand things are wrong. Mrs. Bowser, you and I are going to have a talk after dinner—a straight, plain talk."

"I thought you said we might go to the church festival this evening."

"Church festival be hanged! We are more apt to go to the poorthouse."

Mrs. Bowser had no more to say and Mr. Bowser felicitated himself that he had made a proper beginning. If he had only been a little more observing and noticed the smile playing around the corners of her mouth it would have been better for him later on. When dinner was finished and they had returned to the sitting room he assumed his most judicial demeanor and began:

"As I stopped at the gate for a moment this evening I observed that one of the panes in a front window was broken. It was all right when I left the house this morning. Some time during the day you sneaked up there with an ax or crowbar and gave it a bat. You did it to spite me."

"You are talking foolishly, Mr. Bowser."

"I am talking facts, woman. As I entered the gate I stumbled over a clothespin. While it was only a single one it showed the carelessness and waste prevailing in this house. You probably threw it from a window at a dog."

"As there is a foot of snow on our sidewalk and more falling, I don't see how you stumbled over such small thing as a clothespin," observed Mrs. Bowser.

"There are lots of things you don't observe, and you needn't try to split hairs with me. I presume the gas bill for last month has come in?"

"Yes."

"And we are charged with burning about a million feet of gas?"

"The bill is only 50 cents higher than for the month before."

"Only 50 cents! By the great horn spoon woman, but it ought to have been \$2 less! Who has wasted that gas? Who has deliberately gone at it and turned it on in the daytime and let it whiz away?"

"No one, of course. I must tell you that the coal for the range is out. It lasted four days longer than the last ton, but I suppose you?"

"The range coal all gone!" he whooped as he jumped up and down and his eyes hung out. "Why, it's only ten days since I ordered the last ton!"

"It's exactly twenty-seven days, my dear."

"Don't my dear me. A ton of coal burned in our kitchen in ten days? Ten days! Mrs. Bowser, don't try to fool me. You sold at least half that coal to get money to attend bargain sales. You may deny it, but nothing on earth will convince me that you didn't Great Scott, sell the coal out of my cellar to buy fummididdies!"

"I say the coal has lasted twenty-seven days, Mr. Bowser, and you are talking nonsense. You might as well charge the cook with eating it. There's a leak in a water pipe down cellar, and are you going to say I struck it with the ax?"

"A leak in a water pipe? Of course

KENTUCKY NEWSLETTERS

Owensboro Murder Case.

Owensboro, Ky., Sept. 7.—J. M. Holmes, who fifty-three years ago served on the jury which condemned Curtis Richardson to be hanged for the murder of William Lanier. He was today selected as a juror in the trial of Willis Russell Shikles, charged with the murder of Henry Murmer. Mr. Holmes is now an octogenarian, but is nearly as hale as when he wrote the death verdict more than half a century ago. Until Tuesday night Mr. Holmes had not slept away from his home for a number of years. Shikles' defense is moral irresponsibility. The defense introduced a number of witnesses, most of them from Allen county, where the defendant was reared, who testified that Shikles had been half-witted all his life, and that when irritated he had no control of himself. Shikles killed Murmer apparently without provocation. He went where Murmer was at work in his field. Murmer left his team and retreated. Shikles followed him for 100 yards, and then shot him down. He had borrowed the gun from a neighbor, stating that he wanted to shoot crows.

"Don't water pipes ever burst?" quietly replied Mrs. Bowser.

"Never! Never in this world! Water pipes are all right until some one hauls off with an ax and bursts them. I suppose you'll tell me next that the roof of this house is leaking in a dozen places."

"I discovered two leaks yesterday, but they are not very bad ones. I can put pants on the floor to catch the water."

"Leaks in the roof! Forty leaks in a roof that was overhauled only last summer! Woman, do you know where you stand?"

"What do you mean?"

"You are standing in the shadow of death! You have gone up on that roof and jumped up and down. You have played tag and pull-away. You have turned somersaults and handsprings. You have taken the crowbar and thumped and pounded. You have done all this to spite me, and by the bones of the one horned cow!"

"Are you through, Lemuel Bowser?"

Mr. Bowser turned to find his mother-in-law standing in the door. She had arrived hours before, but had kept in the background to make a dramatic debut.

"What? You—you here!" gasped Mr. Bowser as the red left his face in an instant.

"Yes, Lemuel, I am here, and I have been an interested listener. Sit down!"

"What for?"

"Because I tell you to. I've got a few words to say to you, and perhaps your knees won't wobble quite so much if you sit down. Now, then, about that clothespin. You lied about it simply to have an excuse to raise a row."

"Woman, don't you call me a liar?"

"Don't excite yourself and don't call me woman. I am your respected mother-in-law, and as such I can't be bluffed or bulldozed."

"I won't stay in the same house with you!" exclaimed Mr. Bowser as he jumped up.

"Oh, yes, you will. You and I have got to have a plain, straight talk, and the sooner we get at it the better. I figured that it was about time for one of your spells, and so I got aboard of the train and came down. If you think you could talk better with a pillow behind your back well and good, but talk you know me, don't you?"

"You bet I know you!"

"Then no further introductions are necessary. Mr. Bowser, do you realize that you are one of the meanest old kickers on the face of this earth?"

"What! What!"

"Don't shout at me. You may scare the cat or the cook, but I'm not made that way. You know that pane of glass was cracked four weeks ago by a boy throwing a snowball, but you seized upon it tonight as a pretext: Do you know what I'd have done if you had come bulldozing to me about it?"

"I say I won't listen!"

"And I say you will! If you'd come charging me with breaking that glass I'd have taken the shine off that bald head of yours in about a minute. What you need is a strong hand, and it's fortunate that I have got one. No use for you to glare at me like an enraged bull, for I don't scare. Where are you going?"

"I'm going to leave the house until you get gone!"

"Lemuel, come back here!"

But Mr. Bowser got his overcoat and hat and was outdoors before she could reach him. He didn't know where to go after he got out, but five minutes later he brought up at a drug store on the corner. He wanted sympathy. He wanted to tell the druggist all about it and be consoled, and he had just got ready to talk when in walked the mother-in-law. There was no hesitation on her part. She walked up to Mr. Bowser and took him by the hand and said:

"Lemuel, come with me!"

"I'll be hanged if I do!" he growled. "You'll either come along with me or follow me in the ambulance!"

"That's what he needs—a strong hand," said the druggist as he nodded approval.

"Given a Life Sentence.

Owensboro, Ky., Sept. 7.—A special from Lebanon, Ky., says Bishop John L. Spalding of the Catholic diocese of Peoria, has entirely recovered from his recent attack of indigestion. The report that he suffered another stroke of paralysis is denied.

"Presence of Glanders.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 7.—Because of the presence of glanders among horses the fiscal court has ordered that the use of all public drinking troughs in the city be discontinued to prevent the spread of the disease.

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Mr. Robertson Loses Another Deer.

Mr. George Robertson lost another one of his fine deer last night. The deer was at Mr. Robertson's residence at Ninth and Broadway, and Mr. Robertson caught it by using a fish net. He carried the deer down to Third and Harrison and turned him in a larger enclosure. Here the deer ran himself to death. Recently a fine large buck jumped the fence at Mr. Robertson's home and ran until it fell dead from exhaustion. Two or three of the animals have been killed by dogs.

"Do not fail to read every announcement in the "House" advertisement on page three in today's paper.

What It Amounts To.

"Smith is thinking about taking orders."

"What church?"

"No church; marriage." — New Orleans Times-Democrat.

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By A. CONAN DOYLE.
Author of "The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes", "The Hound of the Baskervilles", "The Sign of the Four", "A Study in Scarlet", etc.



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The Adventure of the Second Stain

No. 13 of the Series

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HAD intended "The Adventure of the Abbey Grange" to be the last of those exploits of my friend, Mr. Sherlock Holmes, which I should ever communicate to the public. This resolution of mine was not due to any lack of material, since I have notes of many hundreds of cases to which I have never alluded, nor was it caused by any waning interest on the part of my readers in the singular personality and unique methods of this remarkable man. The real reason lay in the reluctance which Mr. Holmes has shown to the continued publication of his experiences. So long as he was in actual professional practice the records of his successes were of some practical value to him, but since he has definitely retired from London and taken himself to study and bee farming on the Sussex downs notoriety has become hateful to him, and he has peremptorily requested that his wishes in this matter should be strictly observed. It was only upon my representing to him that I had given a promise that "The Adventure of the Second Stain" should be published when the times were ripe and pointing out to him that it is only appropriate that this long series of episodes should culminate in the most important international case which he ever been called upon to handle that I at last succeeded in obtaining his consent that a carefully guarded account of the incident should at last be laid before the public.

It was, then, in a year, even in a decade that shall be nameless, that upon one Tuesday morning in autumn we found two visitors of European fame within the walls of our humble room in Baker street. The one, austere, high nosed, eagle eyed and dominant, was none other than the illustrious Lord Bellingham, twice premier of Britain. The other dark, clean cut and elegant, hardly yet of middle age and endowed with every beauty of body and of mind, was the Right Hon. Trelawney Hope, secretary to European affairs and the most rising statesman in the country. They sat side by side upon our paper littered settee, and it was easy to see from their worn and anxious faces that it was business of the most pressing importance which had brought them. The premier's thin, blue veined hands were clasped tightly over the ivory head of his umbrella, and his gaunt, ascetic face looked gloomily from Holmes to me. The European secretary pulled nervously at his mustache and fidgeted with the seals of his watch chain.

"When I discovered my loss, Mr. Holmes, which was at 8 o'clock this morning, I at once informed the prime minister. It was at his suggestion that we have both come to you."

"Have you informed the police?"

"No, sir," said the prime minister, with the quick, decisive manner for which he was famous. "We have not done so, nor is it possible that we should do so. To inform the police must, in the long run, mean to inform the public. This is what we particularly desire to avoid."

"And why, sir?"

"Because the document in question is of such immense importance that its publication might very easily—I might almost say probably—lead to European complications of the utmost moment. It is not too much to say that peace or war may hang upon the issue. Unless its recovery can be attended with the utmost secrecy then it may as well not be recovered at all, for all that is aimed at by those who have taken it is that its contents should be generally known."

"I understand. Now, Mr. Trelawney Hope, I should be much obliged if you would tell me exactly the circumstances under which this document disappeared."

"That can be done in a very few words, Mr. Holmes. The letter—for it was a letter from a foreign potentate—was a letter from a foreign potentate—was received six days ago. It was of such importance that I have never left it in my safe, but I have taken it across each evening to my house in Whitehall terrace and kept it in my bedroom in a locked dispatch box. It was there last night. Of that I am certain. I actually opened the box while I was dressing for dinner and saw the document inside. This morning it was gone. The dispatch box had stood beside the glass upon my dressing table all night. I am a light sleeper, and so is my wife. We are both prepared to swear that no one could have entered the room during the night, and yet I repeat that the paper is gone."

"What time did you dine?"

"Half past 7."

"How long was it before you went to bed?"

"My wife had gone to the theater. I waited up for her. It was half past 11 before we went to our room."

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I have used your valuable Cascarets and find them perfect. Couldn't do without them. I have used them for some time for indigestion and biliousness and have found them to be the best. Once tried, you will never be without them in the family.

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seal of red wax stamped with a crouching lion. It is addressed in large, bold handwriting to—"

"I fear, sir," said Holmes, "that, interesting and, indeed, essential as these details are, my inquiries must go more to the root of things. What was the letter?"

(To be continued.)

Abscess.

Abscesses, with few exceptions, are indicative of constipation or debility.

W. H. Harrison, Cleveland, Miss., writes, Aug. 15, 1902: "I want to say a word of praise for Ballard's Snow Liniment. I stepped on a nail, which caused the cords in my leg to contract and an abscess to rise in my knee, and the doctor told me that I would have a stiff leg, so one day I went to J. F. Lord's drug store (who is now in Denver, Col.) He recommended a bottle of Snow Liniment; I got a 5¢ size, and it cured my leg. It is the best liniment in the world."

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METROPOLIS NEWS

After being out for thirty hours the jury in the case of O. L. Margrave, of Brookport, for damages against the I. C. railroad brought in a verdict giving Mr. Margrave \$300. The suit came about through the railway company building a track over some ground of Mr. Margrave's using a Sunday for the purpose. Mr. Margrave first sued out an injunction asking that the court restrain the company from trespassing on his ground. This was finally made permanent and later Mr. Margrave sued for damages.

Who is there in England who did know of the existence of this letter?"

"Each member of the cabinet was informed of it yesterday, but the pledge of secrecy which attends every cabinet meeting was increased by the solemn warning which was given by the prime minister. Good heavens, to think that within a few hours I should myself have lost it! Besides the members of the cabinet there are two or possibly three departmental officials who know of the letter. No one else in England, Mr. Holmes, I assure you."

"But abroad?"

"I believe that no one abroad has seen it save the man who wrote it. I am well convinced that his ministers—that the usual official channels have not been employed."

Holmes considered for some little time.

"Now, sir, I must ask you more particularly what this document is, and why its disappearance should have such momentous consequences?"

The two statesmen exchanged a quick glance, and the premier's shaggy eyebrows gathered in a frown.

"Mr. Holmes, the envelope is a long thin one of pale blue color. There is

Backache, Pain in the Hips and Groins

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Two doses give relief, and one box will cure any ordinary case of Kidney or Bladder trouble. Removes Gravel, cures Diabetes, Seminal Emissions, Weak and Lame Back, Rheumatism, and all irregularities of the Kidneys and Bladder in both men and women. Sold at 50 cents a box on the No Cure No Pay basis by McPherson's drug store, Fourth and Broadway, sole agents for Paducah, or sent by mail upon receipt of price to Lark Medicine Co., Louisville, Ky.

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STRANGE OUTFIT

A "CIRCUS" ARRIVES AND REMAINS TO MAKE MONEY TO CROSS THE RIVER.

It Has a Few Horses, Several Dogs, a Goat and Four Human Beings.

A number of people noticed several wagons of dilapidated though somewhat gaudy appearance pass down Jefferson street several days ago but few knew what it was. An investigation revealed the fact that it was a circus outfit. The paraphernalia did justice to the old one-ring circus which used to travel across the country, using the animals that did "stunts" in the ring also to haul the wagons and tent through the country.

In this aggregation here there were four people, six dogs, one goat and six mules and horses. In a wagon of old pattern were the performing dogs, which according to the people on the street, performed with their mouths rather than with their bodies and animal sense. At the river the goat which was in the cage with the dogs, was seen to begin acting peculiar and suddenly amid the barking, howling, snappings and whining of the dogs a different sound was heard. The goat tired of inactivity, had endeavored to help the dogs out and amid the laughter of those near, produced a sound not like, but akin to the bark of a dog. Thus the procession moved along.

To the first wagon was a cow and a small mule, to the second was a large mule and a small pony, and to the third was a mule of miniature size and a large horse. The mule to the last wagon had a neck that was terribly twisted and on asking a reporter was told by the manager of the circus that the mule had fallen several years ago and had broken its neck. Anyway the neck, he said, was a popular drawing card to the circus.

Two small boys, a woman, and the man, who ran first from one team to another to see that they did not get lost, made up the "actors" of the company. Many people would be surprised to learn that these circuses often are largely patronized by the rural populace.

The only reason the aggregation lingered here, it is said, is that it found upon reaching Paducah and starting to cross the river that it would cost the sum of \$2.50 to get ferried over, and they could not raise the wind. They accordingly pitched their camp here and hope to make enough in the course of time to get across the placid Ohio.

Beautiful Women.

Plump cheeks, flushed with the soft glow of health and a pure complexion, make all women beautiful. Take a small dose of Herbine after each meal; it will prevent constipation and help digest what you have eaten. Mrs. Wm. M. Strand, Midlothian, Tex., writes, May 31, 1901:

"We have used Herbine in our family for eight years, and found it the best medicine we ever used for constipation, bilious fever and malaria.

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ALL THE ROOMS TAKEN.

So This Couple Had to Marry to Get a Place to Stay.

Colorado Springs, Sept. 7.—It was principally the force of circumstances that compelled R. J. Bayer, of Rochester, N. Y., and Miss Jeanette Peltree, of Cleveland, to suddenly become man and wife. They were among the score of tired if not cross tourists who a few nights ago clammed for hotel accommodations in this city. Not only were rooms not available, but costs in offices and corridors were at a premium. Finally, Bayer and Miss Peltree, who had for some hours been agreeable traveling companions, happened to learn at the same time that there was a single unoccupied room at the Spaulding.

Mrs. Sarah Delavan is dangerously ill with slender chances for her recovery. The lady is a great sufferer.

Ed Price has returned to Metropolis to make the place his permanent home.

Miss Abbie Conner, who has been visiting with Mrs. Rebecca Bowker expects to return to Washington in a few days.

S. M. Stewart and family are expected home next Friday from Indianapolis, Ind., where they have been visiting Mrs. Stewart's relatives.

Neglected Colds.

Every part of the mucous membrane, the nose, throat, ears, head and lungs, etc., are subjected to disease and blight from neglected colds. Ballard's Horehound Syrup is a pleasant and most effective remedy.

W. Akendrick, Valley Mills, Tex., writes:

"I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup for coughs and throat troubles; it is a pleasant and most effective remedy."

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If you know enough to help you will have too many contracts to waste any breath in criticism.

NOTES FROM HEATH

The Annual Fishing and Hunting club has just returned from Shelly Lake, Ballard county, Ky. Those who partook of the pleasures were:

J. D. Smith, wife and children; Clark Fortson, wife and children; A. P. Hill, wife and children; Rev. T. M. McGee and daughter, Miss Cora. The above party were from Heath, Ky., while the following were from Granville: John Simmons and wife, E. G. Powell, Dr. S. Z. Holland and wife, Miss Lenora Wood, James Stone, and James Bradford. They report an enjoyable time with plenty of game.

An accident which came very near proving fatal happened to Mr. A. P. Hill, of Heath, Ky. While hunting at Shelly Lake in Ballard county, last week. One morning while out hunting, he was attacked by a band of mosquitoes, remembering the yellow fever germ, he hastened to retreat and fell over a log, jamming the end of his gun into the ground. While in this position he spied a squirrel. He jumped up and fired off his gun. But alas! the barrels being stopped up with mud caused an explosion to his old favorite gun, "Betsy," which was blown to pieces. He came back to camp in a rather dilapidated condition, but he was unhurt.

ITALIAN TOBACCO.

Is Being Shipped Rapidly From Kentucky.

About 1,000 hogsheads of the consignment of tobacco to the Italian government remain to be shipped, and in the next few days the last of one of the largest shipments seen here in years will be finished, says yesterday's Courier-Journal. The tobacco has been purchased by W. G. Dunington, a large broker in New York city, through his agents in this city. The latter have been going through the breaks for the last four months sampling the tobacco, as the best that the warehouses contained was needed. About 8,800 hogsheads have been purchased, and it has required four months to get out seven-eighths of it. Most of it comes from the region about Mayfield.

The first wagon was a cow and a small mule, to the second was a large mule and a small pony, and to the third was a mule of miniature size and a large horse. The mule to the last wagon had a neck that was terribly twisted and on asking a reporter was told by the manager of the circus that the mule had fallen several years ago and had broken its neck. Anyway the neck, he said, was a popular drawing card to the circus.

Two small boys, a woman, and the man, who ran first from one team to another to see that they did not get lost, made up the "actors" of the company. Many people would be surprised to learn that these circuses often are largely patronized by the rural populace.

There were no sales at any of the warehouses this week. There are probably not more than 125 hogsheads of unsold tobacco outside of the Association in Mayfield. This week last year 240 hogsheads of leaf at an average of \$4.43 and 106 hogsheads of lugs at an average of \$3.21 per hundred were sold and there were probably 2,000 hogsheads unsold tobacco in the city.—Monitor

Excursion to Philadelphia.

On account of Patriarchs Military and Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., the Illinois Central Railroad company, on September 13 and 14, sell first-class tickets from Paducah.

NEW TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS

List of new subscribers added to the East Tennessee Telephone company today:

1413-a—Rector, Milo, Business Market House.

1116—McCarthy, James, Residence, 1519 Broad.

501—Stavely, Walter, Residence, 1249 Adams St.

642—Newmann, F. W., Residence, 842 South Fourth.

618—Robinson Mr. B., Residence, 1221 Jackson.

190—Pratt Coal Co., Office, Ninth and Harrison.

Like other commodities telephone service should be paid for according to its worth and value.

According to the last telephone directory issued we have in the city about 2,500 subscribers or five times as many as the Independent Co. outside the city and within the county, we have 63 times as many subscribers as the Independent Co. Yet we will place a telephone in your residence at the same rate the Independent Co. is supposed to charge and provide in addition long distance facilities which will enable you to reach 50,000,000 people from you home.

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High Grade Medium Priced

Sweet, soft, mellow-toned piano with a beautiful plain colonial case, walnut or mahogany finish, and a piano that will last a life time is a style of piano that wise people are interested in. Our Bush & Lane is not only beautiful but the sound ranks among the finest pianos of the world, and prices are only medium.

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Sanderson & Co.
428 Broadway**

BEGINS THIS WEEK.

Work On Mayfield and Wickliffe Road to Start.

It is now reported on good authority that work will begin at least in six places on the new railroad between Wickliffe and Mayfield during this week, says the Mayfield Messenger. The contractors, with their teams, etc., are beginning to arrive at Wickliffe, and will soon be stretched out along the line. The Irish, with their tents, have already begun to drop in at different places between Wickliffe and Fancy Farm. They are always the fore runners of beginning of work on new railroad lines. Everything points to the beginning of work all along in the next few days.

Broke Dumbbell Record.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 7.—By raising two 10-pound dumbbells 9,000 consecutive times Henry Levison of this city, broke the world's record for this trial yesterday. Levison's time for the new record was five hours and forty-one minutes, and during the long grind his strength was kept up by nourishment given him at frequent intervals by an attendant. He finished comparatively fresh and made the last 1,000 lifts in 36 minutes. The former record was made in 1870 by Pennock, of Philadelphia, who raised the weights 8,431 times.



We are showing all the new imported and domestic Suiting for fall and winter, and shall be pleased to show them to you.

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Merchant Tailors

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LEAGUE MEETING TO BE HELD THE 24TH

Will Wind up Affairs of the
Kitty for the Season.

At the Paducah Players Have Gone
Except Potts and Taylor—Potts
Goes Tonight.

MANY IN FASTER COMPANY.

The board of directors of the K. L. T. league will meet in Vincennes, Ind., on the fourth Sunday in September, the 24th, to wind up the business of the league for the season.

There are a great many small accounts, such as accounts of scorers and portions of salaries not paid, and these will have to be audited and presented at the meeting for allowance.

President Brown stated this morning that the meeting would wind up the league for the season and that no more meetings would be held until next year, unless it was decided at the meeting on the 24th to call a meeting on some subsequent date.

This season has been remarkably free from dissension, and President Brown had practically nothing to do in the way of deciding questions, none being referred.

As to the local association Chief Lloyd has all records of games which were furnished him last night by the scorer. He has packed the uniforms away for the winter and all players except Potts and Taylor have gone home, and Potts intends to leave tonight. Taylor will probably remain in Paducah during the fall and winter.

As far as reported all players from the Paducah team who have gone into faster company are making good, especially "Red" Bohanan who is doing good work both in fielding and batting for the Nashville Southern league team.

MORE CHOLERA

Reported From the Vicinity of Ber-
lin—Five New Cases.

Berlin, Sept. 7.—Although no case of cholera has appeared in Berlin the city is making preparations to cope with an invasion.

A number of stations have been established and are fully equipped for preliminary treatment of cholera.

Two new cases of cholera are reported in the Bonbon district and two in the village of Schilino and one at Kastenburg.

TWENTY HURT.

In Excursion and Passenger Train
Wreck—Three Reported Killed.

New Castle, Pa., Sept. 7.—An excursion and passenger train collided on the Western New York and Pennsylvania road near New Wilmington this morning and it is reported three trainmen were killed and about twenty injured. Railroad officials refuse to give out information.

MORE TRUE BILLS

GRAND JURY MADE ANOTHER
REPORT THIS MORNING.

Ed Marable, Colored, Was Indicted
for Murder—Three Others
Returned.

The grand jury made its second report this morning returning four indictments, all against prisoners now before the court.

They were against Ed Hampton, alias Hamilton, alias Caldwell, colored, who stole brass and copper wire from the I. C. at Hickman and tried to sell it here. He pleaded guilty and was given two years in the penitentiary. This was the first conviction and verdict of the jury.

The other indictments were against Ed Marable, colored, charged with striking Walter Brown with an instrument of some kind and killing him on June 29. His case was set for the 9th day of the present term.

Sherley Hughes, colored, was indicted for selling a stolen bicycle belonging to Hugh Grider for \$2, claiming the wheel was his own. His case was set for the 5th day of the term.

Leander Donald, colored, was indicted for stealing wearing apparel from the residence of Mrs. Ella Armstrong, wife of the well known minister. Her case was set for the 6th day of the term.

LIVELY CONTEST

Probable Over the \$10,000 Policy of
H. A. Rose.

Mr. F. G. Rudolph, administrator of the late H. A. Rose, and his attorney, Mr. W. V. Eaton, are having a lively time over the settlement of the \$10,000 insurance policy on the life of H. A. Rose, which is being held by the Western National bank, of Louisville.

Attorney Eaton stated that the bank is not a beneficiary and therefore can not make out proofs of death as essentiality in collecting the insurance. On the other hand the bank claims the policy for security for a debt and will not relinquish it. This is one of the biggest policies on the life of the deceased and was made out to the Kentucky Mill & Lumber Co., which the attorney claims had no insurable interest. The fight being made is for the face value of the policy to go into the hands of the administrator and from every indication will cause a great deal of litigation before the matter is finally settled.

RUN DOWN BY TRAIN.

Two Men Killed and Several Hurt
Near Pittsburgh.

Pittsburg, Sept. 7.—One man was killed and one died on the way to the hospital and three are seriously hurt by being run down by a passenger train on the Pennsylvania railway at Homewood this morning. The men were employees of the Westinghouse company waiting for a train to go to work when run down by a train coming in the opposite direction.

G. A. R. MEETING.

Lively Fight Over Commander—Minneapolis to Get Next Meeting.

Denver, Colo., Sept. 7.—A bitter fight is on for commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic. Radiant pension advocates favor Corporal Tanner and the conservatives are led by Pennsylvania, oppose him. Minneapolis will probably get the next meeting.

Norwegians Want Treaty.

Karlstadt, Sweden, Sept. 7.—Commissioners of Sweden and Norway, who are considering the question of dissolution of union, held two sessions today. While no official statement was given out, it is understood some progress was made and that Norwegians requested making of arbitration treaty as basis for future negotiations.

President Enjoying a Picnic.

Oyster Bay, Sept. 7.—The president and his entire family are enjoying a picnic today. Early this morning they started away in a flotilla with three row boats, headed in the direction of Lloyd's Neck, and will not return until evening.

Friends of Rev. John D. Jordan and wife, have received news that they have a girl baby, their first child, in Savannah, Ga. Rev. Jordan was formerly pastor of the First Baptist church here, and he and Mrs. Jordan were married about fifteen years ago.

Mr. George Beard, who has resigned on the Jackson Whig, has returned to Paducah to locate.

NOT FOR SALE

[Original]

George Stanfield was a woman hater. He was a manufacturer and was one day testing a piece of machinery when a portion of it fell and broke his leg. He was carried home and his physician and friend sent for in hot haste.

"George," said the doctor, "you must have a trained nurse."

"A man?"

"No, a woman."

"No devil of a woman shall enter this house."

The doctor mused for a moment, then said: "I will send a man. No woman would remain on the case."

When the nurse reported Stanfield was surprised. "Why, you're nothing but a boy," he said. "How old are you?"

"Twenty."

"H'm," grunted the patient.

The nurse set about tidying up the room after which he took the patient's temperature, etc., and noted it on his card.

"What's your name?" asked Stanfield.

"Fred Varrill."

"I'll call you Fred. Fred, hand me the morning paper."

The nurse handed him a paper, then, taking up a medical book, sat down and began to study. The patient feverishly turned over the pages of the journal, but read nothing.

"Loosen the bandage on my leg," he said sharply.

"Not without an order."

"Loosen the bandage or leave this house."

The nurse closed his book and began preparations for departure.

"Sit down," growled the patient.

The nurse again took up his book.

"I say, what's your name—Fred? You're not so Miss Nancy as I thought you."

The nurse got up, went to the bed and laid his hand soothingly on Stanfield's forehead. Then after smoothing the pillows he went to prepare the patient's supper.

"By Jove, Fred," said Stanfield one evening after he had belabored the boy unmercifully with his tongue, "when I get well I'm going to make you my major domo. You've the patience of a saint. It has always been dull coming home after business and finding no lights in the library, no fire on the hearth. You'd be just the one to take care of all this. Will you stay with me?"

"No."

"Yes, you will. I'm rich enough to buy a boy like you a dozen times."

To this Varrill made no reply.

One morning Varrill informed Stanfield that the doctor wanted him for another patient.

"Now, see here, young man," said Stanfield, "name your price to remain here and run this house."

"I'm not to be bought."

"By a brute, you mean."

"My service has been very pleasant. You're not a brute. You're a very kind hearted, good man."

"Well, I'll be hanged! Just listen to that!"

The nurse went out of the room. The next morning he did not appear as usual with the patient's breakfast, which was carried up by a servant.

"Where's Narrill?"

"In his room, sir."

"Tell him to come here immediately."

The servant set down the breakfast and went out. A moment later Stanfield was startled by an apparition.

"What's that standing in the doorway? A woman in this house? How did she get in? She's the image of Fred. Great Scott, she is Fred!"

The girl advanced, holding out a handful of checks.

"Mr. Stanfield," she said, "I must ask you to make these payable to Frederica Varrill. They're my weekly salaries. I'm a woman."

"H'm! Now I see why you have refused to stay with me."

"I have enjoyed the comedy very much. I have to thank you for your kindness to a boy; as a woman I owe you no thanks."

"Kindness? Bosh! I want you to stay here."

"It wouldn't do for me to remain as your housekeeper. We're both too young."

"Housekeeper! What do you think it would be worth to marry a devil?"

Miss Varrill turned. Stanfield got up from an easy chair in which he was sitting and, leaning on a cane, hobbled toward her.

"Fred," he said pathetically, "I've always hated women, but you're not a woman; you're a paragon of amiability. Of course I can't ask you to love me. I couldn't expect a woman to do that, but if you'll stay with me as my wife I'll be good to you."

She turned away from him, and his heart sank, but in a moment she faced him again.

"I have loved you," she said, "ever since I came here to nurse you."

Later they called up the doctor on the telephone, and Frederica Varrill told him that she would not take a new case.

"What's the matter?" asked the doctor.

Stanfield took the receiver and replied:

"Robber in the house."

"Robber?"

"Yes. The nurse you sent me has been stealing."

"That can't be. She's as honest as the sun. Some mistake."

"She's stolen my heart."

A "ha, ha," came back over the wire, followed by the doctor's congratulations. "I've seen such men as you before," he added, "and I know that they are more vulnerable than those who make no pretense at woman hating. I'm glad you're cured of your folly."

F. A. MITCHELL

RIVER NEWS

Cairo—15.6, 0.2 fall.

Chattanooga—3.3, 0.2 fall.

Cincinnati—9.1, 0.3 rise.

Evansville—7.8, 0.3 fall.

Florence—2.0, 0.5 fall.

Johnsonville—4.7, 0.7 fall.

Louisville—4.1, 0.2 fall.

Mt. Carmel—4.1, 0.4 fall.

Nashville—8.6, 0.5 fall.

Pittsburg—5.5, 0.5 fall.

Davis Island Dam—2.9, 0.1 fall.

St. Louis—0.4, 0.1 fall.

Mt. Vernon—7.5, 0.1 fall.

Paducah—7.8, 0.1 rise.

The John S. Hopkins was the Evansville packet today.

The Dick Fowler left on her regular Cairo trip this morning at 8.